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## Anglican Church

Services will be held in Empress, on Sunday, June 15, 1919, as follows:  
Holy Communion and address, 11 a.m.  
Evangelism and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

F. R. Hillary,  
Priest in Charge.

These services have been altered to Sunday, June 15, instead of June 1, as previously announced; the Rev. F. R. Hillary having to make alterations in his plans.

Another large supply of Edison and Victor records, at Brown's Drug Store.



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Farmers—by exercising foresight in raising cattle, hogs and other readily saleable products—can add to their wealth. This Bank aids and encourages every kind of agricultural operation.

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## United Church

Sunday, May 25—By proclamation of Lieut. Governor Brett, May 25, is "Go-to-Sunday-school Day." You are specially invited to attend the Union Sunday School at 11 a.m. There will be no evening service.

### "The Keys of the Righteous"

"The Keys of the Righteous" is a story of Wisconsin, and deals with the struggle of pretty Mary Manning to keep together a family composed of a crusty old grandfather who has never forgiven her invalid mother for marrying his son, a drunken derelict, and one kindly uncle, almost her only friend. One other friend, however, is handsome young Tom Gale, a "lumber cruiser" who stands by through thick and thin. A happy ending is interestingly brought about.

E. A. Rivers, farmer of Gorefield, Sask., who has been awarded damages in the Court of King's Bench and in the Supreme Court of Saskatchewan, is reported to be making an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, not being satisfied with the two previous awards of \$700 and a further \$800. Damages are alleged to have been sustained in a rebuilt threshing machine purchased from George White & Sons, of Leiden, Ont. The sum of \$5000 is claimed.

## R. M. of Manterio

Council met at the Orange Hall, 10, 26, 29, w 3rd, May 10, at 10 a.m. Present, Deputy-Reeve McWhinney, Cunn, Baynon, Rowles, Scott, Jones and Harnett.

Committees—Rowles and McWhinney, reported that they were unable to come to any understanding with either F. X. Lambert or E. Connor re road divergence. Mr. Rowles had therefore called on the Deputy-Minister of Highways in Regina, who would proceed to expropriate the road required.

Correspondence—Jones: That this Council of R. M. Manterio 262, request the Department of Highways to proceed with the Survey and expropriation of the right-of-way, through sections 21 and 29 in twp. 23, rge. 29 w 3, and through section 24, in twp. 23, rge. 1, w of 4, leading to Empress Bridge across Red Deer River.

That if necessary, the Department institute the arbitration proceedings under the machinery provided in the Highways Act, with the landowners in R. M. 262, the municipality to be responsible for the compensation decided upon whether by arbitration or otherwise. Carried.

Rowles—That subject to the consent of the Minister of the Interior, to be obtained by them, F. X. Lambert and Ed. Connor, be given the sum of \$20 per acre, for the land actually taken for road diversion. Also that the municipality put a runway under the road to allow cattle to pass through, and the Municipality to pay \$100 for damages to the farm. This offer to be submitted in writing by the Sec. Treas.—Carried.

Rowles—That N. G. Luke, N.E. 12, 24, 29, w 3, be appointed poundkeeper for Division III.—Carried.

Jones—That the Reeve and Secretary-Treas. be authorized to sign contract in regard to road to Empress Bridge, with Highways department, where by the Department agrees to

## Open Cream Buying Station

Following up his previous visit to our town, Mr. Leslie of the Saskatchewan Creamery Co., is now here and has completed arrangements for the opening of a Cream Buying Station. This will be welcome news to the farmers of the surrounding district, who can now bring the cream from their cows into the local station and receive the cash money in exchange.

The prevailing prices are high, Sweet Cream being quoted last week at 57c at Swift Current, while No. 1 was 54c, and No. 2, 51c.

Undoubtedly the opening of the station and the prospects of ready cash for cream will induce more farmers to own dairy cattle, this has been the case in other districts where the Company has installed stations and ultimately built creameries.

Mr. R. H. Richards will be the buyer, and the station is in the building adjoining the old Revelstoke Sawmill Co. office.

spend \$1000 as against \$500 to be spent by R. M. 262.

McWhinney—That the estimates of Chesterfield S.D. be passed.—Carried.

The finance committee examined the accounts presented, the following were found correct.

F. X. Lambert, road work, Div III.....	35.00
Alsask News, annual financial statements .....	35.00
Empress Express, advt. 1.98	
Stationary Supplies Co. 5.75	
Sec. Treas, postage, etc. 4.80	
Salary acct. ....	80.00

162.23  
Scott—That these accounts be paid. Carried.

Jones—That the expense incurred in the purchasing rights-of-way, either as divergence or in opening up blind lines be charged to the general account of the Municipality and not to (continued on inside page)

## Look Into This

Mr. Farmer, it will pay you to bring your cream to the Saskatchewan Creamery Co., at Empress.

The Saskatchewan Creamery Co.

of Moose Jaw and Swift Current

WILL OPEN A

**Cream Buying Station**  
at EMPRESS, Alta.

Monday, May 26

Here are the prices paid by the Company at Swift Current last week:

SWEET CREAM	-	-	57c
No. 1	"	-	54c
No. 2	"	-	51c

BUYING STATION

in the building adjoining the old REVELSTOKE LUMBER YARD office

Buyer: R. H. Richards

## Grand Theatre

**"The Key's of the Righteous"**

FEATURING

**Enid Bennett**

See this Drama of

the days when "the best man won." Back in the old copper-field days primitive passions, gripping suspense, and a pippin climax.

on

**Friday & Saturday**  
May 23 and 24

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You Protect Your Buildings Against "Fire" by INSURANCE

Why not against "DECAY" by using a

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Martin Senour's Paint is 100 p.c. Pure

it will protect and beautify at the same time. Our range of colors is complete.

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Protect your house from the fly by

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Leather goods look better and last longer when treated with Satin Gloss.

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Demand it at your dealer.

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## EDITORIAL

### Charter of the World's Freedom

The peace treaty, including, as it does, the covenant of the League of Nations, which has been produced in Germany for signature, is without question one of the most important documents ever drafted in the history of this old world. It takes its place along with Magna Charta and the American Declaration of Independence as an instrument of great magnitude in providing for and safeguarding the liberties of mankind. Magna Charta and the Declaration of Independence were for the English speaking peoples of the world those rights and liberties which we prize so highly, and in defence of which we are ever ready to lay down our lives, and they had their effect on other nations. But the treaty of Versailles, 1919, is designed to guarantee the rights and liberties, not of one race or one nation, but of all races and all nations.

The penalties imposed on Germany are severe, but who will say they are not just and necessary? Insofar as Germany is deprived of territory, not in a spirit of revenge nor of aggression on the part of the allies, but in order to right wrongs inflicted by Germany on others in the heyday of her autocratic military power. She loses her colonies because she demonstrated that she was not a fit nation to be trusted with power over subject peoples.

The German people have shown down through the centuries, time and time again, that in their hands power was misused and abused, that they thoroughly believed in and acted upon their doctrine that might was right. Therefore, power has been taken away from them, their army and navy destroyed, and the most drastic prohibition imposed in order that they may never again endanger the peace of the world. It has been found necessary to even circumscribe and restrict the use they may make of economic weapons, because, in the past, Germans manipulated their finances, industries, transportation systems, shipping, trade and commerce as parts of their military machine.

The huge sums of money which Germany must pay to the allies are not extorted from her as was the indemnity which Germany imposed on France in 1871. Germany must impose a fine on France, but today the allies are not compelling Germany to make restitution and reparation for the vast destruction she has caused in Belgium, France, Serbia, and other countries and for the crimes committed against inoffensive non-

combatants contrary to all the accepted usages of war.

The peace treaty, however, is much more than the infliction of just punishment on Germany for the horrors and sufferings she brought upon the world and the enforcement of guarantees against a repetition of the outrages. With its League of Nations covenant it is a declaration of principles for the guidance of all nations, large and small, in their dealings with one another. It does even more than that—it lays down principles which are to govern within the nations themselves in their dealings with their own people.

Well defined principles are laid down which are to be entrusted with man's duty powers over less advanced territories and less enlightened peoples. Where people are not yet capable of self-government, they are to be governed, not for the benefit and aggrandizement of the governing body, but for the advancement and in the welfare of the people themselves. So, too, it is clearly defined that in all nations the man who works with his hands, and puts his physical strength in his work, is no longer to be regarded as a mere commodity to be used for profit, but as a human being, a partner in the world's work.

No longer are the small and weak nations to be walled in to be forced to live in constant dread under the menace of a rattling sword in the hands of a stronger nation; no longer are people and races to be held subject to a foreign yoke; no longer will the ruthless Turk be allowed to put helpless Armenians to the fire and sword; no longer will it be necessary that millions of men be held in idleness in huge convict armies while other millions are burdened with taxes to maintain them in idleness; no longer is the chief business of Europe to be over an preparation for war. The peace treaty declares that it is to be the international business of the world to create better living conditions for the masses of the world, to build up and benefit, not to tear down and blight.

The peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant are not perfect. It is a human document, and subject to all human weaknesses and frailties. But its intention is good, and the best minds in the world have been responsible for its drafting. It may fail in its whole object, but failure will result from a lack of sincere effort to attain success. It is the charter of a world's freedom—a contract of release from the age-old crime of war. It remains for the masses of the peoples of the world, who are its whole object, but failure will result from a lack of sincere effort to attain success. It is the charter of a world's freedom—a contract of release from the age-old crime of war. It remains for the masses of the peoples of the world, who are its whole object, but failure will result from a lack of sincere effort to attain success.

**A Boon for the Bilious—The liver is a very sensitive organ and easily deranged. When this occurs there is a build-up of acids in the blood, and the acid liquid flows into the stomach and bowels. It is this condition that causes indigestion, flatulence, and many are prone to it. In this condition a man finds the best relief in **Parment's Vegetable Pills**, which are warranted to speedily correct the bowels and start the liver on a new path. There is no better medicine in the entire list of pill preparations.**

**Four Killed in Quake**  
Las Palmas, Canary Islands—Four people were killed in the earthquake which shook the island of Fuerteventura several days ago. The bulk of the population of the island has fled.

**HOW'S THIS?**  
We offer \$10,000 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE**. It is taken internally and acts through the system on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.

Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 75c. Testimonials free. Write to **Cherry & Co., Toledo, Ohio**.

You will be sure to be interested in our new series of articles appearing in another column.

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because it is baked  
and rebaked for over twenty  
hours.**

**The result is a  
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value.**

**Wonderful Flavor  
Sturdy Nourishment**

## Relief for Czechoslovakia

**Berne.**—A Prague dispatch states that 2,000 tons of foodstuffs have reached the Czechoslovak republic by barge from Hamburg. This relief eases the situation and renders the Bohemian outlook far more hopeful than it has been during the last few weeks, when famine menaced the country.

**Paris.**—Sir Robert Borden, the Canadian premier is returning to Canada, according to Reuters, because the political situation there is said to require his presence. Sir George Foster probably will take Sir Robert's place as head of the Canadian delegation.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**  
Take the **DR. BROOK'S QUININE** (Talcum). It stops the cough and brings the mucus up. It is a sure cure. **GROVE'S SIGNATURE** on each box. 20c.

Bohlshevi may reason that if they could not get other nations as rotten as Russia, then Russia was as good as any other nation. — Toledo Blade.

Warts will render the prettiest hands unsightly. Clear the excess of horny tissue using **HOLLAND'S CORN CURE**, which acts thoroughly and painlessly.

Diplomacy is the art of making others believe that you really don't want something that you can't get.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

The frankness with which a seven-year-old child tells his mother that he is an old maid is certainly amusing.

## Child Had St. Vitus' Dance

**And Was Losing Control of Arms and Legs Because of Exhausted Nervous System—Doctor Said He Could Do Nothing But Complete Cure Was**

**Cordova, Man. May 26.**—To parents who are anxious or worried about their children's growing children this letter must prove a message of good cheer. So many cures similar to this one have come to our attention that we are forced to consider that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the most effective treatment available for St. Vitus' Dance and all such conditions, which result from nervous exhaustion.

To children who are naturally nervous, the slightest change of diet often means all wars to them. They often become ill from indigestion. The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food will cure them and restore them on their feet and restore their health.

**Mrs. Wm. Matt. Cordova, Man.**  
"My little girl, ten years old, was not very well, and I noticed some rather old ways in her. I decided to act very strangely at times. I asked the doctor to see her, and he said she had St. Vitus' Dance; to keep her quiet and out of school. I tried many things, but nothing helped. I then read of **Parment's Vegetable Pills**, and I sent for her. She was affected in this way for a year. I thought nothing ought to be done, so in looking over Dr. Chase's Almanac I read several testimonials from people who had used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I sent for the boxes and started her on a great change in her, and by the time she had taken the six boxes she was completely cured. She is real well now, and going to school every day."

"Another daughter of mine has found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powders very beneficial, and we always keep the Kidney-Liver Pills on hand as a household remedy for backache, etc."

**Dr. Chase's Nerve Food**, 50 cents a box, and **Parment's Vegetable Pills**, for \$2.75 at all dealers, or **Edmonton, Bate & Co., Limited, Toronto**, by mail. Do not be misled by a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.

**Allies to Attack Petrograd**  
Stockholm. — Extensive forces are preparing military operations with Helsingfors as a base, for an attack upon Petrograd, according to a Helsingfors dispatch to the *Aften Tidning*. Eight thousand troops are expected to take part in the operation, according to the dispatch which says that French crevices are now lying in the Gulf of Finland off Helsingfors.

**Regulate on the Farm—Every farmer and stock raiser should keep a box of **Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil** on hand, not only as a ready remedy for the family but also as a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by cold it far surpasses anything that can be administered.**

After going through the war without a scratch, anybody, the *Vancouver press* is now charged with whipping his wife—*Vancouver Whipple*.

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## ROYAL YEAST CAKES

The quality of **Royal Yeast Cakes** is such that it cannot be improved, so we are improving the package. The change from round to a square package will be made as rapidly as practical. The quality of the round and square cakes is guaranteed to be identical in every respect. Each of the square cakes are wrapped separately by machinery, in wax paper, in such a manner as to make them practically airtight, and scientifically hygienic.

**ROYAL YEAST HAS BEEN THE STANDARD YEAST OF CANADA FOR NEARLY HALF A CENTURY**

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A farmer says that the wearing of his head and pointed toes indicate a big corn crop—Chicago News.

The man who can acknowledge a mistake without blushing for many years, one else has true moral courage.

Minard's Understand Lumberman's Friend.

As we understand it now, we also entered the war to keep flame away from the Italians. — Detroit Free Press.

Read the interesting serial story commencing in this issue.

## The Only Way to Attain Prosperity

**George Merrick Speaks of Real Source of Wealth in Western Provinces**

**George Merrick, of Merrick-Anderson, well known Winnipeg stockbroker, who for many years has taken a deep personal interest in all matters relating to agriculture in this province, expresses the conviction that the public nose of Canada and a great many others are putting the emphasis in this reconstruction period at the wrong point. This is an agricultural province, with a rich and fertile soil, and the wealth which its people will have in future years must be gotten from the farm.**

"Our government speaks about expenditures on railways, on canals,

and on the building of vessels and the construction of railways, equipment, and so giving employment to soldiers, but nothing about production, nothing about the big two-year-old hole in the bottom of the pocket. Not a word. How is the world going to be fed?"

"The newspapers fall us as well as our public men. I was west of this city yesterday, calling on an old friend, and I was told how much land there was between Winnipeg and Portage la Prairie which had never been under the plow. Why don't the newspapers pick us up and tell us that?"

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## Finding Market For Range Horses

**High Freight Rates Present Greatest Problem**

**Ottawa.**—At a gathering of representatives of the livestock interests of the Dominion here, plans were considered for the finding of a market for Canada's surplus of animals, more particularly of range horses in the west.

Mr. Arkell, Dominion livestock commissioner, who returned recently from a trip to England where he went to make a study of livestock conditions, reported among other things that there is a market in Poland for half a million horses if this could be arranged. This is the big problem to be solved for with ocean freight rates at their present high level, it would be practically impossible to land horses in the European market at a saleable figure and pay the western farmer a reasonable figure for his stock.

**CURE COWS' CAKED BAGS**

With **EGYPTIAN LINIMENT** For All Dealers  
**Douglas & Company, Nanaimo, Ont.**

**For Peace Day**

**Winnipeg.**—Major C. F. Gray has received an official notification from Garnet Evans, secretary to David Lloyd George, the British prime minister, to effect the day of the proposed celebration of peace day, which is being considered by a committee of the war cabinet, and that as soon as the arrangements were known, details of them would be sent to every large city throughout the empire.

## STRENGTH FOR THE DAY'S WORK

**DEPENDS UPON GOOD BLOOD TO NOURISH THE BODY**

**Weak People Need a Tonic, One Which Acts Directly Upon the Blood and That Does Not Weaken the Body By Useless Purging.**

There are thousands of people throughout Canada who are without sufficient strength to do their day's work, and who are always tired out, have little sleep and are subject to indigestion. They cannot get a refreshing sleep, they are subject to headaches, backaches and nervousness, because their blood is impure. The blood is the life of the body. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills give quick results in curing permanent color loss, and their direct action on the blood, which they build up to its normal strength. As the blood becomes rich and it strengthens the muscles, tones up the digestive system, and makes it capable of digesting food, and repairs the waste caused by using or work. In a word, the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills means restoration to perfect health.

## BLOOD TURNED TO WATER

**Miss Jessie McLean, Trenton, N. S.** says: "I was as weak as it was possible for any one to be, and I was unable to go about. My blood seemed to have turned into water, and I was pale, the least exertion would leave me breathless, and when I went up stairs I would have to stop and rest on the way. I often had severe headaches, and at times my heart would palpitate alarmingly. A good friend urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I have reason to be grateful that I took the advice. Soon after beginning the use of the pills I began to get stronger, and by the time I had taken seven boxes my health was again improved. I am now able to go about as usual, and I shall always warmly recommend them."

## RHEUMATIC PAINS

The sufferer from rheumatism who experiments with outward application of **Dr. Williams' Pain Expeller** and good money in depending upon the treatment, the trouble is not in the joints, and is all the time becoming more firmly rooted—harder to cure than the proper treatment. Applied. Treat this disease through the blood, and you will soon be rid of your pains and tortures. As a cure for rheumatism, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are unequalled. They act directly upon the impure weak blood; they purify and strengthen it, and so root out the cause of rheumatism. Mr. Dr. Lewis, of Lac Umbagog, N. B., writes: "I was attacked with rheumatism, which settled in my elbow, shoulder, and joints, and at times caused me great suffering. The trouble was not in the joints, but in the blood. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking the pills for some time the rheumatic pains and stiffness in the joints disappeared and I had not had any return of the trouble."

## A GOOD DIGESTION

**Mr. William Dale, Midland, Ont.** writes: "I was suffering a long time from a severe form of indigestion and had doctored so much without benefit that I had all but given up hope of getting better. Everything I



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Antiseptic, prophylactic, deodorizing, fragrant and refreshing. Cuticura is an ideal face, skin, baby and dusting powder. Convenient and economical. Shows the place of other perfumes for the person. A few grains sufficient. One of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio for keeping the skin pure and sweet. Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Cream, Cuticura Talcum. Price 25c. Cuticura, Dept. 10, Montreal, P. Q.

**Belgians Refuse to Cease Hostilities**  
Paris. — A wireless message received here addressed to Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, head of the commission to leave Russia, from M. Tichieroff, Bolshevik foreign minister, and relayed by the foreign office at Berlin, announces that the Bolsheviks refuse to cease hostilities as a condition of provisioning of Russia by neutrals.

**"Black Watch" The Best Black Pig Chewing Tobacco on the Market**

**Belgium's Present Army**  
Brussels. — Belgium's army at present numbers about 115,000 have been demobilized, the minister of war informed parliament. The figures were known, details of them would be sent to every large city throughout the empire.

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ment of Agriculture, Ottawa,  
covers the culture, not only of  
the cabbage but the cauliflower  
as well, which is also a cool  
weather crop. Of the early  
varieties of the cabbage the  
Early Wakefield is popular,  
while the Danish Ballhead and  
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Dwarf Erfurt and the Early  
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a summer crop, while Large  
Algiers and Walcheren are  
given as the best two for fall  
use.

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to the root maggot. The pam-  
phlet recommends the applica-  
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who come with the desire to  
make this, our first picnic, a  
success.

The secretary-treasurer will  
be glad if those wishing to be-  
come members will hand in  
their fees at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hobson  
of Blindles, were the guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. John Cusack, on  
Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. G. Pybus,  
and daughter, Dorothy, left  
by automobile this morning for  
Medicine Hat. Mr. Pybus will  
attend the quarterly district  
meeting of the Methodist  
Church there; he will after-  
wards attend the Convention to  
be held at Calgary. Mrs.  
Pybus, with her daughter, will  
journey to Noblesford, Alta., on  
a short visit to her parents.

Scott Brown, made a trip to  
Marong and Alaska, the latter  
part of last week.

C. S. Pingle, M.L.A., and his  
brother, Hume Pingle, and  
Road Foreman Jesse Bishop,  
were visitors to Empress last  
week. We understand the visit  
was in connection with road-  
work which is to be done near  
town.

Grover V. Cady and John W.  
Thomas, with their wives, were  
recently sentenced at New  
Westminster to eight months  
imprisonment. The charge  
against the men was the receiv-  
ing of, and having in their  
possession stolen goods. The  
women were charged with  
shoplifting. Magistrate Ed-  
monds felt that a too severe  
penalty would not fit the case,  
although he could have given  
each of the men 14 years and  
each of the women 7 years. The  
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to the appropriation of a division.—Carried.

McWhinney—That the price of \$10 per acre be paid for right-of-way on blind line on S. side of sections 36, 35 and S.E. 34, in twp. 26, rge. 27 w 3rd Amendment, moved by Jones.—That the price be \$50.00 per acre.

For the amendment.—Jones. Against.—McWhinney, Rowles, Scott Harnett and Baynon.—The amendment was lost.

Motion—Ayes: McWhinney, Harnett, Scott, Rowles and Baynon. Nays: Jones.—The motion was carried.

Baynon — That the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be instructed to apply to the Union

Bank of Canada to increase the line of credit for the year 1919 from \$30,000 to \$35,000.—Carried.

Baynon—That each councillor for shall and hereby has power to let the work in his own division in the cheapest and most economical manner according to his judgment, either by contract or by day work.—Carried.

Harnett—That the rate of wages shall be 4.00 per day for a man; 7.00 per day for a man and two-horse team, and 10.00 per day for a man and four-horse team. In cases where a foreman is required he shall be paid 5.00 a day.—Car.

Jones — That this Council purchase 18 Fresno's from the Western Corrugated Culvert Co., of Saskatoon at 40.50 a

piece, 1 c. to Alask and Empress. Nine to be shipped to N.J. Ardiell, Alask, and nine to Wm. Rowles, Empress. Terms, net cash in 30 days.—Car.

Scott—That Coun. Jones be a committee to look over the grader now in Division IV, and if it is worth it to have it fixed up.—Car.

Harnett—That the town of Alask be allowed the use of grader, now at Mr. T. Rowles, 28, 23, 20, w of 3rd, to grade up their streets, on condition that they shampoos it after the work is finished, and return it in good condition.—Carried.

Scott—That this Council purchase from the Western Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts to the value of 1405.80, as per de-

tailed order given their Mr. A. E. Thompson. Terms, net cash, November 1st, 1919, Alask, Marengo and Empress.—Car.

Rowles—That this Council do now adjourn to meet at the usual time and place on Saturday, June 14.

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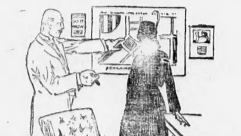
"You see I had only a few thousand dollars left after the estate was settled—"



and my brother borrowed some to help him along; of course that went and then—"



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# More Production To Solve Labor Unrest

Ottawa.—That there is a shortage of food in the world; that Canadian prices are regulated by demand abroad; that there is no great surplus of food supply in Canada; that the duty of Canada is food production for the benefit of itself and the world, that the government may present a program to regulate the cost of living, and that industrial unrest can be traced to the cost of living, were stated in the senate by Hon. G. D. Robertson, minister of labor.

Hon. Mr. Robertson said that there appeared to be a great deal of misunderstanding in Canada as indicated by press comment and resolutions calling for enquiry to reduce the cost of living and characterizing high prices of food to hoarding for profit. Mr. Robertson said the people of Canada should know there is no surplus of food in Canada and that production was increased there was little hope for such reduction of food prices.

As to food in cold storage if at once realized, little would be done to relieve the situation. It all the better in storage on May 1 the divided it would give each Canadian 17 ounces; a division of oleomargarine would give each Canadian less than a quarter of a pound. The quantity of butter in cold storage was \$38,234 pounds; oleomargarine, 315,724; cheese, 1,064,318; eggs a treatise of 600,000, or a third of a dozen per head; pork two and a half, and beef three and a half pounds per person. What portion had been sold for overseas consumption he could not say. He gave the figures to show the incorrectness of the idea that the present high price of butter, for instance, was due to there being large quantities in storage held for the benefit of the owners. This was the season of egg production when usually they are collected for storing, but today eggs were not forthcoming, and therefore only small stocks are being laid away. Unless production increased there was the prospect of an egg famine within a year.

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## Steamer Brings

### Interesting Cargo

Consisting of Guns, Captured by Canadian Soldiers.

Montreal.—The steamer *Victoria* brings an interesting and historic cargo in port, consisting of a score of captured guns which were won from the Germans by Canadian soldiers. Among the heavy artillery is a big gun which is labelled "Second Canadian Division, 24th Battalion, 930," and this is consigned to the Victoria Rifles, Montreal. Number 937 for the 21st Canadian Battalion, and it is addressed to the lieutenant-governor of Ontario. Number 960 was captured by the 21st battalion, a western unit, in August last, and is consigned to the lieutenant-governor of Alberta. Number 933 is the property of the 25th battalion of Nova Scotia. There were others, but they were in many cases illegitimately marked.

# Friendly Reception Of Austrian Delegates

Paris.—Karl Renner, the Austrian chancellor, brought his peace delegation and their attendants to St. Germain, near Paris, and at a later date will appear before representatives of the allied and associated powers to receive the condition which will spell peace for the former empire.

A notable feature of the reception was the absence of Germans, who had requested permission to greet the Austrians, but had been refused the privilege. The prefect of the department, M. Chaleil, met the Austrians courteously, and although there was no official handshaking, many members of the party were greeted by unofficial handshakes from old acquaintances as they were being shown to the waiting automobiles.

The delegates then proceeded under military escort to the Hotel de Ville, where they were shown the valley of the Seine and Paris and lacking the high fences, sentries so much in evidence at Versailles.

It was a cosmopolitan crowd which awaited the delegation, French, Eng-

# Winnipeg Paralyzed by Strike

Greatest Labor Struggle in City's History Now in Progress

Winnipeg.—Winnipeg is now in the throes of the greatest labor struggle of all her history. Estimates vary widely as to the total number of workers out on strike, these running from 15,000 to 27,000.

At a mass meeting of the G.W.V.A., American & New Zealanders, and Veterans of Canada associations, including all men of the military and naval services, a resolution was passed to the effect that every legitimate means would be used to preserve law and order; and providing, further, that, should the present trouble have been adjusted the returned veterans and labor representatives will discuss the deportation of the undesirable enemy alien.

The mayor and city council are grappling with the problem of maintaining the essential services of public utilities, police and fire protection, as the tie-up grows. Every walk of industrial and commercial life in Winnipeg is paralyzed, and the city is a chaos. Wholesale and retail stores are affected, and in a number of cases closed. There is the assistance of about 200 employees, including engineers, teamsters, grocery clerks, butchers, and common waitresses and kitchen help.

With only the postmaster, his deputy and three stang' clerks remaining on duty, the postal service is paralyzed. Postal workers' claims cut at eleven o'clock. Street railway service is at a complete standstill, while the question of the city's garbage disposal permits to automobile riders is under discussion.

Free to automobile riders for pedestrians are again being offered by auto owners. The fire brigade is out to a man, except for the chief and his deputy, and the chief himself is being manhandled by volunteer help. Numerous fire alarm calls have been received, but nothing of a serious nature had to be cooped with. All the civic clerks, with a few exceptions, are out on strike, and there is not an officer at the hall where you can even pay a bill.

Light and power and waterworks are out, but efforts are being made to "consure the water system" and to ensure at least enough power for domestic lighting purposes. More than 4,000 men, including clerks, checkers, etc., are out in the yards, offices and shops of the C.P.R., C.N.R. and G.T.P. railways.

## Assassination is Threatened

Attending State of Affairs in Ireland

London.—An astounding state of affairs in Ireland was revealed by the Lord Chancellor in moving the second reading of the criminal injuries (Ireland) bill in the house of commons. The bill provides compensation in the case of any officer of the law who is killed or injured while on duty. In response to a government proclamation in Tipperary a counter-proclamation was issued, which declared that any person in the pay of England, magistrates, jurors, and the police would be deemed to have forfeited his life.

Civilians who gave information to the military or police would be executed—"that is to say, shot or hanged." Volunteers were also called upon to contemplate the possibility of offensive action, more strenuous than in the Easter rebellion. The men who were exposed daily to such risks, said the Lord Chancellor, should be protected by the whole force of the country, and if they became the victims of assassination, adequate provision must be made for their widows and families. Lord Greve, however, thought the situation had been exaggerated. Political sympathizers with the cause of violence had taken to the left, and were less inclined to support the cause of law and order. The bill was read a second time.

Nearly Three Million Loaned

Reuben, Sask.—Major action of the soldiers' settlement board, stated here that in April and over \$500,000 had been loaned in Saskatchewan, \$1,200,000 in Alberta and \$1,055,000 in Manitoba. He expected May loans in Saskatchewan would amount to a million dollars. It is probable that a western conference of these connected with soldier settlement in an official way will be arranged for this summer.

Will Not Strike

Lethbridge.—Civil employees who voted some day to go on strike have rescinded such action and have agreed to a Dominion board of arbitration to settle the dispute.

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# Public Health Nurses in Alberta

Welfare Stations Established in Various Parts of the Province

Edmonton.—Thirteen public health nurses will shortly be appointed to welfare stations in different parts of the province for the purpose of carrying on the campaign of health and welfare education inaugurated last year. A new class of nine nurses, in training under the general direction of Dr. Herbert Jamieson, in this week taking clinics from the public school health officers and in city hospitals, will be ready in a few weeks to go out with the four nurses already in service to the several points to be occupied as working centers this summer. It will be the duty of the nurses to look after the health inspection of schools in their districts, the general promotion of child welfare, free dental work, mothers' meetings and the intention is that the stations shall be more or less permanent. It is a new departure in Alberta, and is expected to work out with good results.

# Alien Homesteaders To Be Investigated

Action Taken to Make Them Available for Soldier Settlement

Ottawa.—Dominion lands held under homestead entry by aliens and others whose duties are in default will be closed by Dominion lands officers and action taken to make them available for soldier settlement. This action is the result of conference between the department of interior and soldier settlement board. It has also been decided to check up on the alien homesteaders and the temporary conditions which might now be discontinued.

The soldier settlement board will take steps at once to enlist the cooperation of municipalities in ascertaining from local sources information concerning such lands.

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Ships Lost in War

Britain Lost 2,197 Merchant Ships With a Tonnage of 7,638,000

London.—The ministry of shipping announces the number and tonnage of allied merchant ships lost through enemy action as follows: Britain, 2,197; United States, 1,680; France, 238; tonnage 687,000; Italy, 230; tonnage 742,000; Japan, 29; tonnage 120,000; United States, 80; tonnage 341,000. In addition to the foregoing 20 British vessels, tonnage 45,000 tons, were lost on admiralty service.

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## Aghans Violate Treaty

London.—A Russian government wireless message received says that an Afghan mission has arrived in Moscow to establish relations between Afghanistan and Russia.

This is in violation of the treaty between Afghanistan and Great Britain, under which Afghanistan is not allowed to enter into relations with any foreign country, except Great Britain.

Recruiting for R.N.W.M.P.

Toronto.—An appeal for recruits to enter the service of the Royal North West Mounted Police is being made in this city owing to the great shortage of man power in the west. Inspector W. W. Beynon, who recently visited the office of the provincial government employment bureau in search of any available men. He stated that during the past year 20,000 men had been recruited, but that they had lost fully 900 men, 750 of whom served in France and the remainder in Siberia. The need of increasing the force has been placed before the authorities who are offering a splendid opportunity to physically fit unmarried returned soldiers or civilians who are desirous of securing outdoor employment.

Purchases in Argentina

London.—German wireless message states that the German economic commission at Versailles learns that Germany has bought in the Argentine 135,000 bushels of wheat and 20,000 tons of flax seed. On being informed, the entente sent 23,000 tons of ship space to La Plata so that the Germans could be assured of a further 100,000 tons of Argentine purchases.

Budgetary Indignant

London.—Budgetary wireless messages state that the entire press is indignant with Rumania's response to the demand for armistice conditions and declares that the only reply to such arrogant terms is by arms.

# Must Dismantle Armament Works

## Murdered By Sinn Feins

Attack by Armed Gang Near Liverpool Robs Lives of More Customers of Law

Knocknong, Ireland.—Four police officers who were taking a Sinn Fein prisoner to Cork were attacked by an armed band at the Knocknong station. The armed men rescued the prisoner and killed one of the policemen and seriously injured another. A third policeman is missing.

"Knocking" is a small town in Lincoln county about eighteen miles southeast of the city of Limerick. It is on the Great Southern and Western railway.

## War Expenditures

Britain Spent a Large Amount in Canada During War Period

London.—In the house of commons, replying to Sir J. Morton-Griffiths, Col. Emery, under secretary of the colonial office, stated that the war office expenditure in Canada was approximately £225,000,000 sterling; in Australia £291,000,000; in New Zealand £75,000,000; in South Africa £23,000,000; and in Newfoundland £2,000,000.

Will Import Canadian Wheat

Minneapolis.—Julius H. Harcus, executive of the United States Grain Corporation, who conferred with millers here, announced that the corporation has arranged for a moderate importation of wheat from Canada. He stated that a moderate downward revision of prices in foodstuffs was anticipated, and that sufficient wheat was available to keep the price of flour from soaring above \$12 a barrel.

He added, however, that no radical price revision could be expected until the American export demands were greatly reduced.

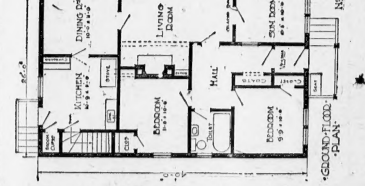
Italians Land in Dalmatia

London.—The Italians are landing military forces at Zara and Zebico on the coast of Dalmatia, according to a Reuter dispatch from Belgrade, the Serbian capital. The troops are being moved eastward and are fortifying the ridges and passes.

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# Germans Must Sign Or Armistice Ends

Paris.—The German peace delegation is busy preparing voluminous counter-proposals for submission to the allied and associated powers as substitutes for terms of the peace treaty. Several economic subcommittees of the delegation met, including the food and coal supply.

The council of four, composed of Premier Lloyd George, Clemenceau, Orlando and President Wilson, considered the forces of the impeding of the blockade on Germany in case that country declined to sign the armistice. The subject was under discussion at two separate meetings of the council. On the other hand it is anticipated that the blockade will be entirely lifted immediately if Germany and German delegation offer their signatures to the treaty.

A note on reparations does not progress at the moment by the German government for the devastation wrought in Belgium and northern France, which it says Germany is ready to do willingly. It is added, however, that Germany will not pay reparations for this damage on the principle that a wife which is living him to the different headquarters of the occupied areas. The marshal will come here to the subject was under discussion down the Rhine by French gunboats. He will be entertained at luncheon by Lieut-General Liggett, commander of the United States third army, and will then proceed to Cologne under escort of British gunboats.





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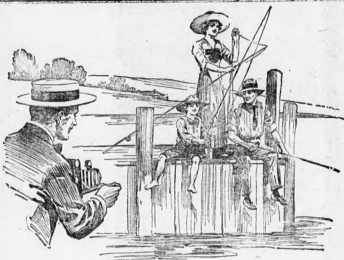
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WEST  
No. 670 arrives 6 p.m.  
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays  
No. 671 leaves 7 a.m.  
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays

24th of May, Saturday.

E. J. Irish, of the Broadstreet Company, is in town, Tuesday.

Dr. MacCharles and G. L. Brown, were visitors to Swift Current, Wednesday.

We are informed that the contract has been let for the construction of that part of the Mildred-Empress line from Estonton to Empress. Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart are reported as having the contract.

Manager E. L. Kenny, of the local branch of the Bank of Commerce, left last week by auto for Edmonton. He will attend a convention of the Alberta managers of the Bank of Commerce, there.

E. J. Boswell, informs us that he will in the course of the next two weeks open, locally, a Tire Vulcanizing and Retreading. He wishes you to save your tires for him. Bring in those discarded tires.

A number of U. S. editors, 200 to 220, are touring Canada, at the invitation of the Department of Immigration and Colonization. They are expected to reach Swift Current by May 24.

J. Hamilton, was a delegate of the local G.W.V.A. to a meeting at Soldiers' Settlement Board and G.W.V.A. officials at Calgary, the first of the week. The meeting concerned the opening of Dom. ranch and lease lands for soldier settlement purposes.

Mr. S. Whitley, organizer for the S. G. G. Association, accompanied by another speaker, conversant with the work, will be at Chesterfield Hall, on May 24th at eight o'clock, to give an address. Also at Langholm school, on Monday, at the same hour.

Serious forest fires are reported as raging in the Edmonton and Prince Albert districts. The town of Lac la Biche in the Edmonton district is said to have been destroyed by fire and 300 people are homeless.

The theatre at Leader, Sask., is reported as being temporarily closed. The "Key and Abey" Company, as a consequence, are appearing at the Grand Theatre, again to-night, Thursday.

The Rumley Company have brought an action against Dr. Whitley, Abseok, for a second payment due on a rebuilt engine which he bought in 1918. The case is now proceeding, being tried at Saskatoon, a large number of witnesses have been summoned.

EAST  
No. 60 arrives 11 p.m.  
No. 60 leaves 5:30 a.m.  
Every week day, except Sundays

Ray Tucker, of the N. D. Storey garage, would inform the motoring public that they are now equipped to supply parts and repair all makes of cars.

## RESULTS COUNT NEWTON LANE

Provincial Anticlerical

Arrangements for dates and sales made at this office

## In The Surrogate Court of the Judicial District of Gravelbourg

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HAROLD YOUNG JOHNSON, Late of Fumiss, Sask., grain buyer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the above estate are required to send to the undersigned, on or before the first day of September, 1919, full particulars of claims against the above estate, fully verified by a Statutory Declaration, together with a statement of securities if any held by them.

Dated at Arnsdorf, Sask., this 12th day of May, 1919.

BUCKLES, DONALD & CO.,  
Arnsdorf, Sask.  
Solicitors for William Huxwell Smith, administrator of the above-named estate

## Tenders for Schoolhouse

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees School District No. 3005, Empress, Alberta, at the office of the Town, up to noon, June 11, for the erection of a frame school building. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer on payment of a deposit of \$5.00, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender with plans and specification. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

RUSSELL McDONALD,  
Secretary-Treasurer.  
Empress, May 21, 1919.

See subsection 2 of Section 211 Rural Municipality of Manitowish, No. 202

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT  
Impounded on the premises of N. G. Luke, N.E. 1-4-2-12, tp. 24, R. 20, W. of 301, Castle Coumbe, Sask.

Two-year old Stud Colt, rored, light built.  
Dated at Castle Coumbe, this 20th day of May, 1919.  
N. G. LUKE, per Wm. R.

## ESTRAY

On the premises of W. D. Robinson, N.E. 27, 24, 20, W. of 301, One Two-year old Bay Mare, black mane and tail, no brand.

## ESTRAY

On the premises of J. Belg, S.E. 3, tp. 21, R. 2, W. of 4; Empress, P.O. One Brown Colt, gelding, 2-year old, right hind leg, white.

## ESTRAY

On the premises of H. M. Karr, sec. 20, 24, 2, W. of 4. One Bay Mare, branded Ld. left shoulder.

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## LOST

One Black Gelding, white stripe on face, X cut in hair on left shoulder, weight about 1250 lbs., had cribs. Rewards for information leading to his recovery.—S. E. Gage, Empress, Alta., N.E. 34, 27, 24, 1, W. of 4.

## LOST

A Lady's Handbag. Containing roll of bills, wedding ring and diamond ring. Lost when leaving the train on Saturday night. Reward of \$10. Mrs. F. G. McKenzie, Box 373, Empress.

## STRAYED

One Dark Bay Gelding, coming two years, star in forehead, left hind foot white. One Light Bay Mare Colt, coming two years, black mane and tail. \$20 Reward.—Nottly, J. H. Ross, Castle Coumbe.

## \$20.00 REWARD

For information leading to recovery of 1 Bay gelding, 4 years old. Branded V— on right jaw, also \$5 on right flank also Bay Mare, 4 years old, branded V— on right jaw.—Anthony Newman, Cavendish, Alta.

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